

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. An animated decoy apparatus for attracting fowl comprising:
 - an animal body;
 - a head member connected with said animal body;
 - a base mount having a distal end and a proximal end, said proximal end supporting said animal body;
 - a body actuator connected between said proximal end of said base mount and said animal body, said body actuator moving said animal body in a first direction;
 - a head actuator connected between said animal body and said head member, said head actuator moving said head member in a second direction;
 - a controller connected to said body actuator and said head actuator, said controller controlling the concurrent operation of said body actuator and said head actuator; and
 - a power source connected to said controller, said power source providing power to said body actuator and said head actuator.
2. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 1, wherein said animal body comprises dense foam.
3. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 1, wherein said distal end of said base mount comprises a stake.
4. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 1, wherein said distal end of said base mount comprises an anchor.

5. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 1 further comprising a switch harness connected between said controller and said power source to govern when said power source is connected with said controller.
6. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 1, further comprising:
a transmitter;
wherein said controller is a remote control receiver; said remote control directing operation of said head actuator and said body actuator.
7. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 1, wherein said body actuator comprises a servomotor.
8. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 1, wherein said head actuator comprises a servomotor.
9. A method for attracting fowl to a desired location comprising the steps of:
 - a) providing an animal body pivotally supported on a base mount;
 - b) providing a head member pivotally connected to said animal body;
 - c) pivoting said animal body in a first direction using a body actuator connected between said animal body and said base mount; and
 - d) concurrently pivoting said head member in a second direction using a head actuator connected between to said animal body.
10. The method as described in claim 9, wherein step c) further comprises:
pivoting said animal body in said first direction in a substantially lateral direction.
11. The method as described in claim 9, wherein step d) further comprises:
pivoting said head member in said second direction that is substantially perpendicular to said first direction.

12. The method as described in claim 9, further comprising the step of:
controlling the operation of said body actuator and said head actuator with a central controller.
13. The method as described in claim 12, further comprising the step of:
operating said central controller with a remote control transmitter.
14. The method as described in claim 12, further comprising the step of:
providing power to said controller using a power source; and
directing the connection between said power source and said controller using a switch harness.
15. An animated decoy apparatus for attracting wildlife to a desired area, said animated decoy apparatus comprising:
an animal body;
an anatomical appendage pivotally connected to said animal body;
a base member supporting said animal body;
a first actuator connected to said base member and said animal body, said first actuator rotating said animal body in a first direction;
a second actuator connected to said animal body, said second actuator moving said anatomical appendage in a second direction; and
a power source connected to said first actuator and said second actuator.
16. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 15, further comprising a controller connected to said first actuator and said second actuator to direct operation of said first actuator and said second actuator, said controller regulating the concurrent motion of said animal body and said anatomical appendage.

17. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 16, wherein said controller is a remote control receiver, wherein said animated decoy apparatus further comprises a transmitter sending directions to said remote control receiver.

18. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 16 further comprising a switch harness connected between said controller and said power source to govern when said power source is connected with said controller.

19. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 17, wherein said animal body comprises dense foam.

20. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 15, wherein said base member includes a distal end and a proximal end, said distal end of said base member comprising a stake.

21. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 15, wherein said first direction is a generally lateral direction.

22. The animated decoy apparatus as described in claim 15, wherein said second direction is a generally vertical direction.